

IRA A. HARKNESS



1896—Born on farm in Ontario, Canada, of Irish parents.
 1897-1898—Attended country school.
 1901-1902—Attended Berne High School.
 1905—Went west to Manitoba. Attended Brandon Academy.
 1906—Traveled in Manitoba and Saskatchewan for a Brandon seed house. Attended Brandon Academy in the fall.
 1907—Took up a nomination of 100 acres in Saskatchewan. Preached on Sunday for the Baptist Mission Board.
 1911—Entered Chicago University as an undergraduate in the College of Literature—not as a Theolog. Waited on table at a restaurant for board. Preached on Sundays at the Baptist Church at Wauke, Ill.
 1914—Began work with the S. S. Krueger Co. at No. 56, Kenosha, Wis.
 1915—Transferred to No. 100, Cedar Rapids, Ia.
 1916—Transferred to No. 14, Rochester, N. Y.
 1917—Given the management of No. 146, Auburn, N. Y.
 1918—Married Miss Harriet McGowan of Wauke, Ill.
 1919-1930—Manager of No. 146.

G. M. MEAGHER



1894—Born at Eau Claire, Wis., of Irish parents.
 1899—Attended grade school.
 1907-1910—High school.
 1911—Attended Eau Claire Business College.
 1912—Bookkeeper and order in lumber company.
 1913—Clark and bookkeeper in grocery store.
 1914—F. W. Woolworth & Co., 5 and 10c store.
 1915—S. S. Krueger Co. at Eau Claire, Wis. Transferred to Milwaukee, Wis., in 1917.
 1919—September 1, took charge of store No. 147, at Clinton, Ia.